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COLORED WOMEN'S DENIAL.

Miss Hutt, Miss Copeland and Mrs. Wilkinson Are Not Interested in Dark-skinned Foreigners.

Miss Clara Hutt, a teacher in the Monticello (colored) public school, states that she is not interested in the movement of certain Negro women of St. Louis to entertain the dark-skinned foreigners who are attracted to this city by the World's fair.

She attended the ball at True Reformers' hall last week, at which three members of the World's fair Filipino colony were present, but she did not meet them or dance with them.

Mrs. Lou Wilkinson and Miss Copeland, who have been mentioned by their friends as interested in the movement, say they have not joined in any plan to entertain foreign visitors to the World's fair.

A Few Words From Mr. Dorsey.

Mr. F. Dorsey, who, it is rumored, was foremost in having the article concerning several of our teachers and a few Filipinos published in the Post-Dispatch of February 25, desires to make the following retraction:

Mr. Editor:—The ladies, whose pictures were in the Post-Dispatch of February 25, relating to the entertaining of the foreigners, authorize me to say that their pictures were used without their consent or knowledge, and that no organization is contemplated by any of the ladies mentioned.

F. DORSEY.

ANTIOCH CHURCH NEWS.

The baptismal services were largely attended; four were baptized. The sermon was delivered by Rev. F. McKinney. Sunday-school every Sunday at one o'clock. J. A. Smith, superintendent, W. T. Smith, secretary.

B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Allen Tillman, president; Mrs. Ella Williams, secretary.

Mrs. Charity Brown, of 3224 Lawton, departed this life Monday, at 1:15 a. m., after a long serious illness, which she bore bravely, and died in full favor with God. She leaves to mourn her loss three daughters, five sons and a large number of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Polly Slaughter, of 3119 Lambdin avenue, is very sick at this writing.

Mr. Will Anderson, of 4227 Kennerley avenue, is quite sick.

A Good Dinner.

Several ladies and gentlemen were entertained at dinner last Tuesday by Mrs. Campbell at her residence, 2635 Lucas avenue, in a most elaborate and elegant style.

After a general conversation in the parlor the guests were conducted to the spacious dining room, where the table was spread with all the delicacies of the season. After enjoying the repast they repaired to the sitting room, where each gentleman was presented with a carnation by the hostess, Mrs. Campbell.

Among those present were Messrs. John Freeman, W. H. Fields, Mrs. Goldie Stewart of Chicago and others.

REV. PERRY'S SERMON.

Delivered at Bridgeport.

A sketch of Rev. W. W. Perry's sermon, delivered last Sunday at Bridgeport, Mo.:

Matt. 28: 19—"Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations," etc.

Jesus gave this command to His disciples, after His resurrection, and it is just as applicable to the preacher of to-day as it was then.

And yet, from all indications, there are many preachers who seem to be ignorant of this fact. They tell the church and the public that God has called them to the ministry, and after they have secured their license or ordination papers, they don't go a hen's scratch from home. It may be that Christ has called them to the church of which they are members, as they can be found crowded in the rostrum, when they should go where they are needed and can be engaged in bringing souls to Christ, who said go and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

It is a shame for those claiming to be called, and haven't any charge or place to preach in their neighborhood, while there are so many churches without pastors, and don't hear a sermon for months, only when they go to some other church. Ample protection has been promised to those whom He delegated to preach, for He said: "And lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen."

If one's strength fail him, Christ will make him strong, that is, in faith, for He is able so to do. The latter clause of verse 18 reads: All power of Heaven and earth is given Him. If one is destitute of knowledge, read Daniel 1: 12: "As for these four children, God gave them knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom." The epistle of James 1: 5, reads: "If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him."

One great mistake with some preachers, they are waiting for the Lord to send them to some church and with nothing else to do but to open their mouths and the Lord fill it. Yes, and that with wind. God intends for his ministers to make a public demonstration of how he gave His only son, a sacrifice that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have an everlasting life. When the Lord told Abraham to take his only son, Isaac, whom he (Abraham) loved, and go to the land Moriah and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains, Abraham obeyed irrespective of what the consequences would be. What God requires of His ministers is faith and obedience.

NOTICE.

The N. J. D. "400" Social club has reopened its elegant club, at 717 North Thirteenth street, corner of Morgan, for instruction in dancing. Open every night. St. Louis' leading pianists have been engaged to render music. The World's Fair band has also been secured for two nights each week. The best of order will be maintained. Mann Jackson, president; Geo. Washington, secretary; Andrew Vaughn, sergeant-at-arms. Click Banks, musical director (Cold Turkey).

The Ladies Column.

We wonder why Mrs. Warren, of Chicago, made her visit to St. Louis so short. What's the matter with the C. & A. man, you know? Please tell us.

We are yet at a loss to know what is the matter between Mrs. Blodinhel, of Chicago, and Mrs. Morgan, of St. Louis. Shall we tell the public all we know?

Mrs. Charley Peterson, of 2622 Lawton avenue, is the most attractive lady on that avenue. The young girls must take a back seat when she appears.

Miss Annie Sager, one of our amiable young teachers, will make a good teacher. She is liked by all.

A party was given a few days ago at 4026 Lucky street, and all admitted that the star was absent, Miss Jennie Myers, of 2622 Lawton.

Two nicely-furnished rooms for rent. Call at 2614 Wash street.

Mr. DeGrass, of New York, of 16 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, visited Mrs. Campbell, of 2635 Lucas avenue. Of course, the New Yorkers will all call upon Mrs. Annie Campbell, as she is very popular in the eastern cities.

UNCLE SAM'S BOYS.

We learn that Mr. James Haley is after a Philippine commission.

It will soon be time to go fishing. "It's me to the lake," says Miller.

Mr. H. T. Burke is anticipating a pleasant time during the World's Fair.

Mr. O. Spiller is still in the box department, a good man in a good place.

Harry Hobson is beginning to look young again. Of course, we all know why.

Mr. Anthony, better known as "Mark Anthony," has a penchant for saying "first table."

Mr. Mifflin is said to be the fastest postal card manipulator in the west. He is also quite a Beau Brummel.

That smile of Mr. Dan Ingram's seems to grow more sublime as spring draws nigh.

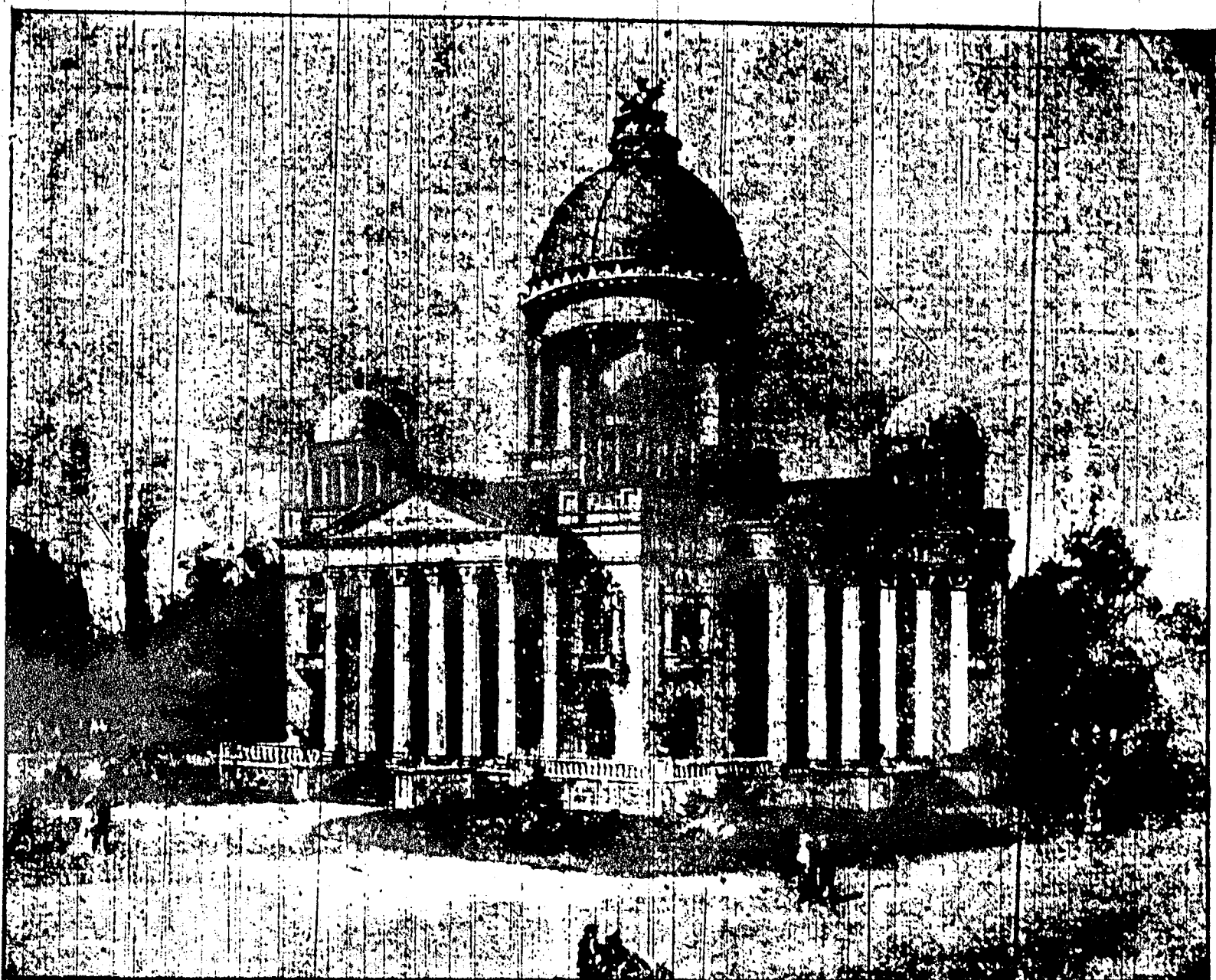
The Alcove Buffett, 2032 Market St.

Hugh B. White & Co., successors to Wilkerson & Lindsay. We cater to the popular wishes of the public; palm garden and cafe in connection. First-class quartette every night to entertain you, with the latest songs and music. We will soon have the largest summer garden west of the Mississippi, something that our people have been in need of for the accommodation many patrons who will visit our city during the World's fair. We have in our employment able mixers that will supply your many wants. Now it is up to you—go early and stay late. ELIAS LINDSAY, Manager.

Death Ends All.

The beloved daughter-in-law of Dr. D. P. Roberts was buried a few days ago. She was a patient sufferer, but was willing and ready to meet her Maker. May she rest in peace.

Every Darkey is a King. Don't fail to see the big show March 7, at Douglas hall, Monday next.



West Virginia Building.

West Virginia's building, a handsome structure of the Colonial type of architecture, is 100x120 feet and stands close to and directly west of Colorado's building. Porches 16 feet wide extend on three sides, and at the rear the porch is 10 feet wide. The main part of the structure is square, but the large porches in the center of each facade, supported by six large Corinthian columns, cause the building to assume the shape of a Greek cross.

On each corner rises a tower, surmounted by a small dome. Rising from the center of the building is a huge classical dome on the summit of which stand the sculptured figures of two deer.

The first floor will have a large reception hall, occupying about one-third of the space, with Ladies' reception room on the left. The commissioner's room will be on the right. In the rear will be a smoking room for men and package rooms, an informa-

tion bureau, and a room for the superintendent of the building.

A stairway 10 feet wide with broad landings, leads to the second floor, where is provided a banquet hall, 35x70 feet. Other rooms, private for the officials, are on the second floor.

The exterior finish will be staff and plaster. The interior is finished in woods from West Virginia, and the ceilings are of ornamental metal donated by the manufacturers of the state.

CITY NEWS.

Notes and News Concerning Our People--Weekly Record of Social Events, Deaths, Marriages and Births--Written Especially for St. Louis Palladium.

Pickett's Headache Powders give instant relief. 2601 Lawton avenue.

Dear Reader, it takes money to publish this paper.

Mrs. Mary Mosby, of 3110 North Sarah street, is sick.

Mrs. J. W. Richie of 2606 Stoddard street, is quite sick and has been for several weeks.

Dr. D. P. Roberts, pastor of St. Paul's chapel, has been quite sick for the past few days.

\$1 will be paid for two copies of the Palladium of March 28, 1903. Must be clean and in good order.

Mh. Ben Howard, of Pine Bluff Ark., was in the city a few days ago buying horses to ship to Arkansas.

Mr. Oline Page and wife, of Springfield, Ill., were in St. Louis looking for a location for the summer.

Mrs. Mary Hill, who is conducting a rooming house at 1426 Chestnut street, has neatly furnished rooms for rent.

Watch for the Palladium April 30. It will be a complete directory for the Negroes of St. Louis, the best Negro paper in twenty states. Look and wait for April 30, 1904.

Mrs. E. Huggins, of 2201A Morgan street, has been quite sick for the past week. Her little girl, Hazel, has just come from Sparta, Ill., to be with her mother.

The M. E. church of Bridgeport, Mo., gave a leap year entertainment in honor of their pastor, Rev. S. Palmer. Refreshments of the season were served in abundance and every one present enjoyed the affair.

Mr. Diggs and Miss Jefferson, of 2822 Papin street, were married November 18, 1903, and they now live at 2822 Papin street. Mr. Diggs is one of the best husbands that now lives, so says his mother-in-law.

Brother Robert P. Williams, a most exemplary Christian gentleman, died last Sunday. He was a class leader in St. Paul chapel. He is now with the good and holy men made perfect by the blood of Christ.

Hello! Central!

What is it? Why a new restaurant has opened at No. 9 Johnson street. The largest meals in the city for 15 cents, 25 cents.

THE DOLLAR BILL CLUB.

INQUEST TO BE HELD.

Father Tells Why He Killed Negro Who Called on Young Daughter.

An inquest will be held over the body of Dan Wright, the Negro killed by Lawrence Slaughter because of his attentions to Slaughter's 16-year-old daughter.

Slaughter says Wright insisted on calling on his daughter despite the objections.

"He called Thursday night and was ordered out," Slaughter stated, "and then called again Friday night. I warned him to stay away."

"When he tried to break down the barred door at our home I told my daughter to open the door. As he entered with the knife in his hand I picked up my shotgun and fired the charge that killed him."

We ought to have more fathers that will stand up for their daughters. Some men who will not come to the house, but watch for the girls to come from school, then they get their work in. We trust that Chief Desmond will have his men look a little out, say Jefferson avenue and Market street, Pine, Lawton avenue. Your Negro detective should run a few in.

You Ought to See.

In passing 204 North Fourteenth street, we chanced to look in the window of Sam, the Tailor. We thought it was a mill where woolen goods were woven. Not less than two hundred bolts of goods were stored to make spring and summer suits. So get your orders all in, as Easter will soon be here, and Sam the Tailor will make a new man of you at 204 North Fourteenth street.

STOP AND READ.

St. Louis Mutual Burial Association.

OFFICERS.

L. S. Williams, president; R. H. Owens, vice-president; Annie K. Russell, secretary; A. Russell, funeral director. Main office 2120 Market street, St. Louis, Mo. Phone, C290.

We shall in our weekly issue speak more of the good work of this institution. We believe it is a good organization.

The Missouri World's fair commission has appointed T. P. Russell to succeed E. C. Ward as superintendent of the forestry exhibit.

The Palladium Man's Soul Was Mad.

There are two old men publishing papers called the American Eagle and the St. Louis Advance. The old men are harmless and inoffensive. But they have a habit of employing dead beats and men who have been forced to leave other cities and employment because of their dishonest methods. They know as much about canvassing as they do about being honest. Last Friday we attempted to chastise one of these for talking about the Palladium man, when all at once he took a pocket knife from his pocket and attempted to do the Palladium man up. We watched the act of this cur when he was ready to make mince meat of the Palladium man. We started for him with open arms and a clinch fist and said "That knife makes us even," and we chased that cowardly cur and his knife down Market street. This occurred Wednesday night as we passed on Laclede avenue. This man, Henderson, said: "I want you to tell me who said that I was talking about you?" I at once said: "I don't want you, to talk to me, for my very soul is mad." He still persisted in his talk. I at once struck at him. He then attempted to get his walking cane to do me up. I at once drew my 44 English bulldog and struck him over the head, and, pointing the gun at him, told him to run. Although my gun was not loaded, yet he obeyed orders and took to his heels. We have only this to say: The Palladium man is as harmless as Murray and Miller, and would not harm any one, but when those interlopers cause the Kentucky blood to run in the Kentucky man, then his whole soul is mad, and they will then find J. W. Wheeler, the Palladium man, never rings a backing bell.

Parker Lodge No. 5 held their annual election of officers Tuesday, March 1. The following gentlemen were elected:

Exalted prolate, Wm. H. Fields; vice prolate, James T. Cole; state organizer, J. Arthur Freeman; treasurer, Henry Bridgewater; financial secretary, Robert E. Lee; recording secretary, J. Edward Hardy. The Hon. William H. Fields was elected for a third term. Large rooms 1623 Chestnut street. They will hold their annual banquet March 21, when they will install their newly elected officers.

Mrs. Yates, national president of the Woman's Federation, will visit our city on the 14th on official business, connected with the order.

EVERY DARKEY IS A KING.

A Brand New Musical Comedy will be the next attraction at

DOUGLASS HALL, Monday Night, March 7, 1904,

Corner of Beaumont and Lawton.

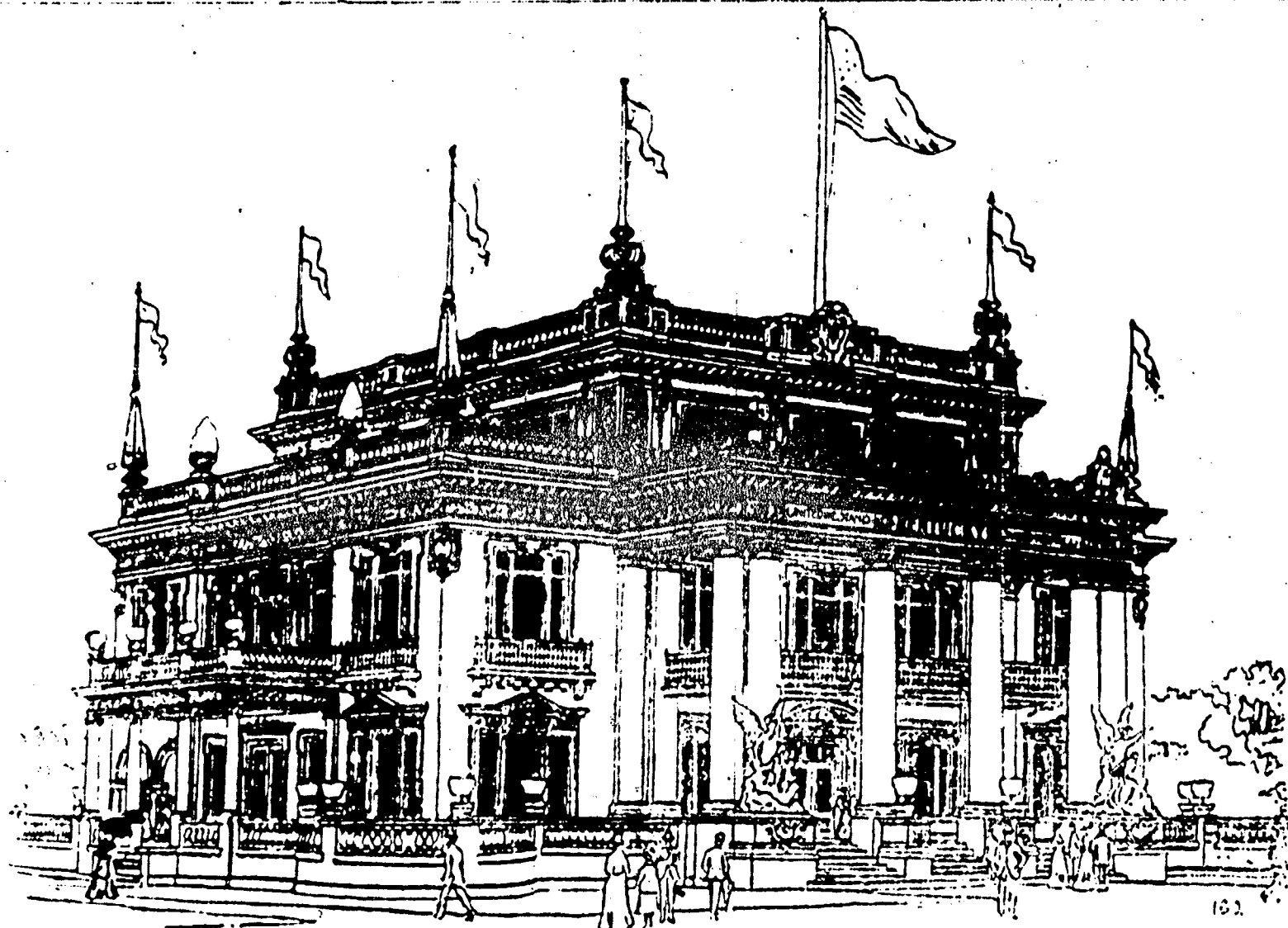
Under the management of E. L. Arnett.

FRITZ EMORY Two well-known colored comedians will appear in the Title Role and a splendid evening's entertainment will be seen. COME EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH.

ADMISSION 15, 25, 35c.

Doors open at 7:30. Performance begins at 8 p. m.

GRAND BALL AND CAKE WALK AFTER THE SHOW.



KENTUCKY BUILDING.

The "New Kentucky Home" at the World's fair will cover an area of 138x138 feet, including porches and verandas. The building proper is to be 100x100 feet and entirely surrounded by porches and verandas. There will be entrances on all four sides, with the main sides of the building emphasized by great massive porches, flanked by sculpture groups, symbolical of mines, forestry, manufactures and agriculture and horticulture.

The feature of the interior will be the large reception hall, 56x60 feet, with a hardwood floor. In the floor will be a marble mosaic centerpiece about 26 feet square, showing the counties of Kentucky in different colored marbles. A border design will give this a rug effect as beautiful, when viewed through the light-well from the second floor from the first.

The second floor is to be similar in plan to the first, and will be for ladies, with the exception that the rooms will

be arranged at one end, so that they can be used as one large banquetting room. Over the large reception hall will be a third floor level with the roof of the second story. A small space on this floor will be reserved for a serving room. The remainder of this floor will be as open as possible to connect with the outer galleries formed of the roofs of the porches. The roof above the third floor—the main roof—will also be accessible.